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INFILTED ON WHITE
RUSSIA VILLAGES*Will a Blow Be Struck
at Italy or Will Austria Send Troops to
the Western Front?*

(By Associated Press)

London, May 15.—The recent meeting of Emperor William and Emperor Charles is absorbing the interest of the British public. Two viewpoints are commented on. One is as to immediate results of the conference and the other as to its future result, but both are of paramount importance. The first is the effect which the meeting is likely to have on military events, whether another blow may be expected in Italy to coincide with the renewal of the onslaught on the western front. Also whether Austria can be persuaded to send troops to the western front to strengthen the Germans.

KAISER HAS GREAT JOY.

(By Associated Press)

London, May 15.—Emperor William, replying to Emperor Charles, who referred to the emperors' conference as harmonious, telegraphed the following to the Austrian ruler, "It is a great joy to have again established in our detailed discussions our entire accord regarding aims which guide us."

BRAZOS COUNTY HAS
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THE FIGHTING RANKS

Ed Scasta and H. F. Brinkley have been chosen by the local exemption board to go to the state university to take special training in motor mechanics for service in the army. "It is a great joy to have again established in our detailed discussions our entire accord regarding aims which guide us."

In the five-day period beginning May 25 a big bunch of men will be sent to Camp Travis, the call being for 84 white men, some of whom are to fill out the second quota and the remainder of the third quota from this county.

It is estimated that Brazos county has about 350 men in the war. The exemption board will have sent forward by tomorrow a total of 323 men, of whom 196 are whites and 137 negroes. In addition a number of boys have joined the navy and several men above the draft age have volunteered in various branches. Several Bohemians left for France several months ago where they went to join the French army. Thus, including the drafted men and the overalls and unders who have volunteered it is estimated that we now have 350 men engaged in the war.

Last He Remembers
Was Military Parade

(By Associated Press)

Fort Worth, May 15.—Ernest Garthua, a Massachusetts youth who is a cadet in the royal flying corps, lies at the base hospital at Camp Bowie fighting not only for his life but to recover his memory. Garthua says the last thing he remembers is watching a parade of Texas and Oklahoma Sammies on Main street in Fort Worth on April 11. Later that day Garthua was picked up in the Texas and Pacific railroad yards in an unconscious condition. His right arm was all but torn from the body and if it had not been for the Carrel-Daken system amputation would have been necessary. Physicians say that although Garthua was found in the railroad yards it does not appear that he was struck by a train. "It looks as though some powerful force twisted his arm, breaking the bones," his physicians agreed. Garthua does not remember how he came to be in the railroad yards.

NOVEL WEDDING.

Bolen Lloyd and Miss Cora Delle Easter, two well known young people, of Kurten, were united in marriage Sunday afternoon at 3 o'clock, under rather novel circumstances. With a party of Kurten friends they proceeded to a quiet, attractive spot on the highway near their homes, where Rev. J. J. Tatum, of Bryan, met them and performed the wedding ceremony. Mr. Lloyd is a young farmer and the son of Mr. and Mrs. E. B. Lloyd. The bride is a daughter of Mr. and Mrs. M. B. Easter, and has taught school for several terms at Reliance. The young people will reside at Kurten. They have the best wishes of the Eagle and a host of friends in Bryan and Kurten.

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B. B. A. GRADUATES
CLASS OF NINE AT
EXERCISES TODAY*Towns Burned, Money Extorted and Women and Children Flogged by the Uhlan Patrols.*

(By Associated Press)

London, May 15.—The Russian government wireless reveals fully the horror of German atrocities in White Russia. In the Bobrinsk district the messages say entire villages have been set afire and plundered. In the village of Buda, a Uhlan patrol extorted a contribution of several thousand rubles and when the peasants were unable to pay all the Uhlands bombarded the village. In other villages peasant women and children who endeavored to escape from the fire were pursued by the Uhlands and cut to pieces with swords or flogged with whips.

THREE REGIMENTS OF
INFANTRY IN TEXAS

(By Associated Press)

Austin, May 15.—Adjutant General James A. Harley has announced that three regiments of infantry, practically amounting to a brigade, will be raised in the state of Texas as soon as the organization of two brigades of cavalry, now under way, is completed.

The authorization for the infantry brigade probably will be made within two weeks, General Harley declares.

Several men throughout the state have asked permission to raise infantry companies, Harley said. He declared that these permissions in all probability will be granted.

The impression that a man in a deferred class who joins the new cavalry or infantry automatically will be placed in class A-1 is erroneous, General Harley declared.

The standing of such men in regard to the draft will remain precisely as before," the general said, adding that it probably will be two months before the new guard is federalized. "However," Harley continued, "I have received assurances that the new guard will be taken into the federal service without delay. This conflict, he said, had done more to rid the world of the effect of the saloon than could be accomplished by other means in ages. This war will never end, he prophesied, until the crown of the kaiser is ground into the dust and the sword of von Hindenburg is laid at the feet of the champions of world-wide democracy. His address to the members of the class was strong and impressive.

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In the meantime, steps were taken in Waukegan for the leasing of 200 additional acres for the station. The lease-holds become effective May 1, it was announced.

The acreage involved is said to include all the subdivided territory within the limits of North Chicago and east of the Northwestern railroad tracks. Thirty acres of Foss Park, formerly a recreation ground for North Chicago, are included in the land leased.

The new aviation school now under construction, which when completed probably will be the largest naval aero school in the world, is to occupy a portion of the leased territory.

*Elect Six Bishops
of Methodist Church*

(By Associated Press)

Atlanta, Ga., May 15.—Dr. F. N. Parker of Emery university was elected bishop of the Methodist Episcopal church, South.

Dr. H. H. Dubose of Nashville and Dr. W. N. Ainsworth of Savannah, Ga., were also elected bishops.

Dr. John M. Moore of Texas, Dr. W. F. McMurray of Missouri and Rev. U. V. W. Darlington of Virginia were others elected.

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SLAUGHTERING DOGS
WITHOUT TAGS IN
GREAT NUMBERS

Graduating exercises of Bryan Baptist academy were held in the Colonial theater this morning in the presence of a rather small audience. The exercises were splendid and the fact that these mark the end of the existence of the institution caused regrets in the hearts of many. Ladies who are interested in the academy and its purposes had decorated the stage prettily with potted green plants along the foot lights, flanked and backed with large vases of great bouquets of roses of many colors. W. S. Barron of the board of trustees had a seat on the stage.

After a prayer by Rev. Charlton Storey, President Odie Minatra in brief remarks thanked the ladies for the work of decorations. He also stated that he appreciated the presence of those in the audience.

The salutatory was by Alvin Lang, who had attained second place in the class.

Miss Sudie Isbit delivered the class prophecy, choosing the year 1930, and presenting a supposititious condition whereby the United States controls Germany and the part the class of 1918 takes in it.

The class essayist was Herbert Williams, who chose as his subject, "Mind, Body, Spirit."

Mrs. Geo. Adams, accompanied by Mrs. Webb, sang "Spring Is Risen," a lively, exhilarating air which she rendered beautifully. Her second number was "Laddie," given with appropriate feeling.

Miss Winnie Randall, the first honor graduate of the class, delivered an address on self-assertiveness, showing that to be ourselves rather than imitators or unduly influenced is best. Her's was the valedictory.

A piano duet was excellently performed by Mrs. Charles Friley. They had chosen an arrangement of "Il Trovatore," that brought out all the beauties and grandeur of the great composition.

J. A. Thomas of Rogers delivered the address of the occasion. He declared at the outset that the one thought of American men today concerns how to win the war. After sketching very briefly the history of the war he said that in all the conflicts of the world, somehow right had always prevailed, as it would prevail now—when this conflict clears there will be a better world. This conflict, he said, had done more to rid the world of the effect of the saloon than could be accomplished by other means in ages. This war will never end, he prophesied, until the crown of the kaiser is ground into the dust and the sword of von Hindenburg is laid at the feet of the champions of world-wide democracy. His address to the members of the class was strong and impressive.

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Young men 18 years of age or older will be encouraged to enlist in the military unit in the college they attend, this enlistment to constitute them regular members of the United States army and to make them subject to the call of the president, though they will not be called into the service until they are 21 unless an emergency should arise. Male students 17 years of age will be encouraged to enroll in the military unit of the college where they attend, but they can not enlist in the service until they are 18.

This new policy aims to accomplish a two-fold object," Secretary Baker explains, "first to develop a great military asset the large body of young men in the colleges, and second, to prevent unnecessary and wasteful depletion of the colleges through indiscriminate volunteering by offering to the students a definite and immediate military status."

Mr. Smith does not yet know what terms he will be able to make to partners, as the running expenses of the plant have not yet been determined. All canning plants in rural communities have been run very successfully on the one-half toll plan. However, the running expenses of a plant in town are greater than in the country.

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SECOND RED CROSS WAR FUND

OF \$100,000,000

Brazos County Quota \$10,000.00

To the Citizens of Brazos County:

By order of the war activities board of Brazos county, I have been named chairman of the Second Red Cross War Fund drive for this county. In accepting this appointment, I have done so without thought of sacrifice or labor entailed, but willingly and cheerfully and because I consider it my duty to serve the government in any capacity desired.

In order to make this "drive" a success, and that Bryan and Brazos county may "go over the top" in true American fashion, it will be necessary for me to have the **full co-operation of all committees**. This is absolutely necessary and I will expect every member of the committee to **set aside other matters and give his best efforts** to this altogether worthy Red Cross movement. Sickness is the **only** excuse that will be accepted for non-service. Our quota of \$10,000 cannot be raised unless committeemen join in the "drive," earnestly and wholeheartedly. Mass meetings will be held at the following points in the county next Sunday afternoon at 3 o'clock:

**Wheelock--Bohemian Hall
Steele's Store
Reliance**

**Harvey
Tabor
Millican--Sunday evening at 8:30 o'clock**

**Wellborn
Kurten**

Hon. R. E. L. Knight of Dallas Will Deliver a Patriotic Address at Court House in Bryan Saturday Afternoon at 3 O'Clock

WOMAN'S COMMITTEE

Mrs. W. S. Howell, Chairman for Brazos County.
Sub Chairmen for Bryan---Mrs. J. T. Hanway, Mrs. M. B. Parker, Mrs. G. A. Adams, Mrs. R. W. Howell, Mrs. W. H. Cole, Mrs. J. A. Boriskie.
Bryan Committee---Mrs. J. S. Doane, Mrs. Nelson Dunlaney, Mrs. J. L. Brock, Mrs. C. S. Gainer, Miss Nell Cole, Miss Ruth Boatwright, Mrs. Hendrix Conway, Mrs. Egbert Jones, Mrs. G. A. Adams, Mrs. Will Lawrence, Mrs. Murray Miller, Miss Mary Shelburne, Mrs. Hal Saunders, Mrs. Allen Smith, Mrs. E. J. Fountain, Mrs. R. Q. Astin, Mrs. F. L. Henderson, Mrs. A. W. Wilkerson, Mrs. Wm. Hajek, Mrs. Mary Simmons, Mrs. Mary Valouch, Mrs. Maggie Harris.
Millican---Mrs. J. D. Battle, Mrs. George Dunlap, Mrs. Knox Williams, Mrs. F. Williams, Miss Erin Simpson.
Wellborn---Mrs. Dr. Lee, Mrs. John Dowling, Mrs. Go-ree Neeley, Mrs. Jeff Royder, Miss Phenie Graham.
Rock Prairie---Mrs. Joe Atkins, Mrs. L. V. Williams, Mrs. P. L. Barron, Mrs. Ada Carroll.
Shiloh---Mrs. V. J. Boriskie, Mrs. Josephine Stasney, Mrs. O. J. Cowan.
Harvey---Mrs. Dr. J. C. Davidson, Mrs. Lee Andrews, Mrs. E. U. Peters, Mrs. Cole, Mrs. A. C. Williams.
Steep Hollow---Mrs. I. M. Cook, Mrs. L. Buchanan, Miss Laura Mims, Miss Adele Hall.
Reliance---Miss Essie Shealey, Miss Bess Morgan, Mrs. J. C. Cloud, Mrs. Byers.
Kurten---Mrs. Dr. Odom, Mrs. M. B. Easters, Mrs. Olivia Suber, Miss Minnie Prinzel, Miss Agnes Valenta, Rev. J. J. Kasiske.

**S. E. EBERSTADT,
Secretary**

Chairman Brazos County 2nd Red Cross War Fund

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EDITORIAL DEPARTMENT OF THE BRYAN WEEKLY EAGLE

"Fight the Devil With Fire."

Christ scourged the money changers from the temple. He was a man of wrath when occasion required.

The devil can not be beaten with soft words and pussy foot methods. The devil must be fought with fire.

As a Christianized people, for whatever may be our religious beliefs, our principles show the influence of that faith, we are inclined to be humane, kind and courteous, flinging the other cheek. We have taken many national rebuffs that would have caused wars if these had been directed against other nations. We have been long suffering and kind. We have, as a national policy, sought to follow the beatitudes. The beatitudes were meant to apply to the relations between men and God, and between themselves, but have no bearing whatever on the relations between men and the devil.

Whether it be true or not, we do not know, but the rumor has spread over the country that Thomas A. Edison has perfected an invention which is more terrible in its effects than anything yet produced in this war. It is said that it would destroy everything within a radius of a mile. What we do know is that Mr. Edison, during the earlier period of war preparation turmoil in Washington, when things were more or less chaotic, went to Washington with some sort of proposition, the nature of which was kept secret, and was unable to get a hearing. Newspaper comment at the time was that he was much disappointed, and there was considerable talk over the country that we had been led to expect much from Mr. Edison and that if he had anything to offer he should have had the right of way over all others. The rumor is that his project was rejected because it is too terrible in its consequences.

J. M. Saladin of Bryan invented an aerial torpedo, self-propelling and arranged for the dropping of bombs at such intervals as might be desired. He took it to Washington. Mr. Saladin did not succeed in getting his machine placed. He has never talked for publication as to the reason therefore, but it is understood from others that it was not accepted because it was too terrible an engine of war.

If either of these be true we are guilty of being soft and pussy footing with the devil. It can not be supposed for one instant but that the Germans would long ago have used these agencies had they been made available to them. They have employed the best (or the worst) they had with which to destroy women and children and other noncombatants, as well as combatants. Whatever of frightfulness has been developed in this war has come from the German side.

A summary of their methods and deeds would show that they are wholly inhuman if human at all. To all outward appearances the Germans are the incarnation of the devil and all his imps. If the devil ever came to earth he has certainly found lodgment in the German military party.

If it be true that we have the methods we should employ frightfulness against frightfulness. "An eye for an eye and a tooth for a tooth," when fighting the forces of evil.

As we advance into the war and learn more of the German mind, German methods and German intentions, there are indications that the powers that be at Washington are slowly coming to this conclusion. Professor Heron, described as a friend of President Wilson, and at present living in Geneva, Switzerland, was recently approached by a certain Prof. Quidde, supposed to be a professor of the Bavarian university at Munich, a pacifist, and a friend of the German chancellor. Professor Quidde told Prof. Heron, who related the incident for publication, he had come to prepare the way for a merciful peace, and gave Prof. Heron to understand that he spoke for Chancellor von Hertling and the German foreign office. He assured the American professor that the peace party in the reichstag was about to gain predominance in Germany and that he wished to prepare President Wilson to take advantage of that auspicious moment.

Germany, Prof. Quidde said, was willing to make the following terms:

1. To grant autonomy to Alsace-Lorraine within the limits of the German empire provided the allies would not broach the subject of Alsace-Lorraine at the peace conference.

2. The Brest-Litovsk peace treaties not to be discussed at the peace conference, although the allies might submit claims for the revision of them and Germany might make certain concessions.

3. No economic war against Germany after the war.

4. German colonies to be restored.

Germany wants to retain all she holds and then some.

Prof. Quidde asserted that the present offensive in France had the ultimate objective of achieving a durable peace.

Prof. Huron, the London Daily Mail correspondent writes, after listening to the German educator, exclaimed:

"I wonder that you have the effrontery to ask me to lay such a rascameral of deceit before the American people. Far from creating a spirit of conciliation, it would simply strengthen the American will to smash the perfidious and nefarious offer of such proposals."

The United States intends to continue the fighting until the Prussian military power and, if necessary, the Prussian state along with it, is extinguished forever as a power for evil, whether it takes one year or ten.

"If you call the remorseless sacrifice of 2,000,000 men a peace offensive, and if you want the United States to recognize your shelling of Paris congregations and churches as a part of it, you are making a monstrous and foolish blunder."

"When I listen to your false and treacherous overtures I feel ashamed of humanity."

Prof. Quidde adds the correspondent, left the house weeping. The

next week Prof. Heron was besieged by new offers by telephone, one of the speakers saying he was Dr. W. S. Zolff, German colonial minister. Prof. Heron talked straight to all of them, telling them, among other things, that "the United States no longer wants peace. It wants to sweep out the Augean stables at Potsdam."

Prof. Heron, the dispatch adds told the story to the correspondent and laughed triumphantly. He said he believed the Germans were at last convinced that the United States intends to stay in the war until its righteous objectives are achieved. To what extent does Prof. Heron represent the United States, and how far along the line of retaliatory frightfulness will the administration go to achieve these righteous objectives?

Prof. Heron's talk is the kind we like to hear, but we want to see it followed by action of the same tenor and spirit. The German man may be defeated in battle, but it is going to take something more than straight fighting to defeat the German mind, to bring the German to a realization that his style of kultur is anything but Christian. Instilled into him as it has been through systematic schooling and training for half a century or longer, a kind of schooling and training that was probably graciously received by a large portion of the population—else they would have done as thousands of others did, get out of the country—it is going to take a very distinct and decided shock to dislodge from the German mind the line of thought he imagines are principles.

10,000 JACKIES FORM LIVING FLAG THAT IS PHOTOGRAPHIC MARVEL

A. J. McCallum of Bryan, now stationed at Camp Paul Jones, Great Lakes, Ill., training station, has sent The Eagle one of the most interesting photographs ever printed. It is a picture of a living United States flag, covering seven acres of men of the navy of whom there were 10,000 in the picture, these under command of Captain W. A. Moffett. The flag pole is formed by the boys in white uniforms, and is 550 feet in length and four feet in width, and composed of 700 men. The ball at the top of the pole was composed of 250 men and was 237 feet long. The flag itself measured 293 feet in length at the top and 773 at the bottom, 428 feet in width at the left end and 128 at the right end, the colors of the stripes being made by colors of the uniforms. The star field measured 143 feet at the top, 66 feet at the bottom, 350 feet at the left end and 184 at the right end. Sixteen hundred men were required for the white stripes, 1900 for the red stripes, 1800 for the stars and approximately 3400 for the blue field.

The reader may wonder why the lengths at the top of the flag were so much greater than those at the bottom. The answer is a compliance with the rules of perspective. Expert photographers worked out an exact science from the law of perspective. This flag, laid out on the ground in proper proportions, would scarcely be recognizable when photographed. Consequently it was laid out with consideration to the law of perspective and viewed from the "eye of the camera," so that when photographed it stood out in proper proportions. For example, the star in the upper left hand corner was made with 65 men while the one in the lower right hand corner had but 12, but in the photograph they appear the same size. Moreover, the flag appears to be waving. The picture was taken last November and every jackie in the picture is standing at salute.

Thanks to Mr. McCallum this picture can be seen at The Eagle office.

STATE BANK CONDITION.

(By Associated Press) Austin, May 14.—Commissioner Austin today issued a call for the condition of all state banks at the close of business on May 10.

Sallow complexion is due to a torpid liver. HERBINE purifies and strengthens the liver and bowels and restores the rosy bloom of health to the cheek. Price 60c. Sold by M. H. James.

AIRCRAFT PRODUCTION.

Washington, May 14.—Archer Landon of Buffalo and New York, has been appointed director of the division of production of the aircraft board.

IT SHOULD MAKE A MILLION FOR HIM

Cincinnati man discovers drug that loosens corns so they lift out.

Good news spreads rapidly and druggists here are kept busy dispensing freezone, the recent discovery of a Cincinnati man, which is said to loosen any corn so it lifts out with the fingers.

A quarter of an ounce costs very little at any store which handles drugs, but this is said to be sufficient to rid one's feet of every hard or soft corn or callus.

You apply just a few drops on the tender, aching corn or toughened callus and instantly the soreness is relieved, and soon the corn or callus so shriveled that it lifts out without pain. It is a sticky substance which dries when applied and never inflames or even irritates the surrounding skin.

This discovery will prevent thousands of deaths annually from locking jaw and infection heretofore resulting from the suicidal habit of cutting

STEEP HOLLOW OVER TOP FOR RED CROSS TEN DAYS IN ADVANCE

From Saturday's Daily Eagle
At the regular meeting of the Steep Hollow Community club last night four stars were added to the service flag, making a total of 25 boys who have gone to war from that community. The names added are Aaron Hall, Roy Morehead, Isaac Sawyer and A. B. Ford. Over the rostrum was a large United States flag, an enlarged photograph of President Wilson, a service flag with 21 stars and then a placard which bore the following inscription, "Which had you rather give, your boys or your money?"

President I. M. Cook presided and made a brief talk. After the singing of "America," Rev. J. G. Leutwyler offered a prayer. Mrs. R. L. Buchanan then attached the four stars to the service flag. The remainder of the program was as follows:

Address, "The Stars on Flag"—Rev. Charles Bullock.

Recitation, "In Remembrance"—Miss Inez Smith.

Recitation, "The Hun Is at Your Door"—S. A. Buchanan.

Song, "We Are Fighting for Liberty"—Mrs. Risinger.

Recitation, "To Our Soldier Boys"—Miss S. L. Holligan.

Poem, "Steep Hollow Service Flag"—Mrs. I. M. Cook.

Recitation, "Be Loyal and True"—Miss Jewel Holligan.

Recitation, "Your Flag and My Flag"—Miss Leila Fay Matthews.

Song, "Angel, Guard My Daddy"—Eleven little girls.

Recitation, "Go and Get the Kaiser"—Barnett Leutwyler.

Recitation, "The Kid Enlists"—Brady Risinger.

Recitation, "I Am Keeping the Pledge"—Herman Andrews.

Recitation, "Our Volunteers"—Ted Cook.

Song, "America, Here's My Boy"—Miss Blanche Hanna.

Recitation, "The Texas Volunteer"—John McCullough.

Recitation, "Knitting"—Miss Eula Foster.

Recitation, "The Thrift Stamp"—Joe L. English.

Recitation, "Buy One Today"—George Buchanan.

Recitation, "Somebody's Got to Pay"—Edison English.

Recitation, "The Kaiser Talks to Hell"—Britton Risinger.

Song, "Let Your Uncle Sam Do It"—Seven young men.

Recitation, "Speed Old Glory"—Miss Ruby Foster.

Recitation, "Our Banner Waves for Freedom"—Miss Bessie Risinger.

Poem, "Cliffs of Scotland"—Rebecca Hall.

Dialogue, "Your Neighbors Over There"—Three little girls, three little boys and three mothers.

Song, "Bing, Bang, Bum-bum on the Rhine"—Thirteen little boys.

Recitation, "Somewhere in France"—Mrs. J. G. Leutwyler.

Recitation, "The Service Flag"—Miss Annie Laurie Cook.

Recitation, "Hats Off to Mr. Wilson"—Miss Florence Conway.

Song, "Answer Mr. Wilson's Call"—Mrs. Risinger.

Recitation, "Peace on Earth Again"—Miss Helen English.

Tableaux, Liberty lighting the world, Columbia with the scales of justice, soldier at Y. M. C. A. camp and Red Cross nurses with orphans of the allied armies and Uncle Sam.

Prayer, "For Brother"—Miss Annie Laura Cook.

C. L. Beason delivered a rousing talk of 15 minutes on the subject of helping Brazos county go over the Red Cross drive.

S. E. Eberstadt then called for subscriptions and there was a large sum given in cash and pledges made in addition indicate that Steep Hollow has already gone over the top, and is the first community to do so.

300 More Men to Arrive Next Week

Notwithstanding three more big motor trucks, the kind with four driving wheels, arrived here today for use at the college in training auto mechanics for war service, it is said these do not provide sufficient to give the men adequate training in the 60 days specified for the work. A telegram received yesterday at the college stated that 300 more men would arrive about the 15th of May, and another 340 was previously announced to arrive June 15. Whether these are the same men is not known. There is a scurrying to find sufficient competent instructors for the men. Instructors are wanted who are not subject to draft.

FORD BUCKED FREIGHT.

From Friday's Daily Eagle
A Ford car was damaged to the extent of about \$50 shortly before noon today in what was humorously referred to as an attempt to shove a freight train off the track at the Twenty-sixth street crossing. It was coming in from Madisonville, bearing Mr. Cooper, a merchant, who came here to look over a line of samples displayed by a traveling man. The driver of the car was unable to make his brakes work in coming down the hill, his car running into the train, which was moving in a northerly direction and swerved the auto around, driving it into the signal bell post beside the crossing. The radiator was bent in, the lamps bent backward, the windshield broken and other damage done, but the little old Ford rambled right along, being driven to the garage for repairs. Neither of the occupants were hurt.

Dodson's Liver Tone is a pleasant tasting, purely vegetable remedy, harmless to both children and adults. Take a spoonful at night and wake up feeling fine; no biliousness, sick headache, acid stomach or constipated bowels. It doesn't grip or cause inconvenience all the next day like violent calomel. Take a dose of calomel today and tomorrow you will feel weak, sick and nauseated. Don't lose a day from work! Take Dodson's Liver Tone instead and feel fine, full of vigor and ambition.

SURGEONS agree that in cases of Cuts, Burns, Bruises and Wounds, the FIRST TREATMENT is most important. When an EFFICIENT antiseptic is applied promptly, there is no danger of infection and the wound begins to heal at once. For use on man or beast, BOROZONE is the IDEAL ANTISEPTIC and HEALING AGENT. Buy it now and be ready for an emergency. Price 25c, 50c, \$1.00. Sold by M. H. James.

"If you call the remorseless sacrifice of 2,000,000 men a peace offensive, and if you want the United States to recognize your shelling of Paris congregations and churches as a part of it, you are making a monstrous and foolish blunder."

"When I listen to your false and treacherous overtures I feel ashamed of humanity."

Prof. Quidde adds the correspond-

Welcome to Prof. Masaryk.

When the history of this war is written it will contain some inspiring chapters devoted to the part played by Bohemia in the conquest of Prussian imperialism. By Bohemia, we mean the Bohemian people, a nation which for centuries has maintained its moral and cultural integrity though surrounded by perils and unfriendly pressures. Look at the map and realize that the geographical location of Bohemia, with Germany on the north, Hungary on the east, Austria on the south, all neighbors ambitious for power, tells the story of this unconquerable people at a glance.

Few realize how much the spirit of the Bohemians in America has done to check enemy propaganda and stimulate loyalty to our cause among the foreign born of our population. Few realize the courage it has taken for Bohemians at home to oppose Austrian tyranny and keep up the fight for Bohemian self-realization. And to day Bohemian troops are fighting with the Italians, while one of the most noteworthy conferences of the war, just held at Rome, offers promise of an Italian-Slav rapprochement which may do more to remove the Balkan threat to future peace than anything yet hoped for.

It is, therefore, at a significant moment that America receives the Bohemian patriot Masaryk. This learned and indomitable leader has escaped from Russia, whence the German influence has driven him. The United States is honored in the presence of this statesman.

He brings not only the latest authoritative observations of the Russian situation but also a knowledge of the Austro-Hungarian and Balkan complex which should be of great value to our government and public in forming correct judgment of events and right policies. Since the great war began he has been an exile but a tireless worker in the allied cause. Americans do not realize that the last blow struck from Russia at Germany—the Galician offensive under Brusiloff in June, 1917—gained a considerable part of its force from the Czechoslovak army organized from prisoners by Prof. Masaryk. Brusiloff said that these men, perfidious and abandoned by the Bolsheviks, "fought in such a way that the world ought to fall on its knees before them."

Bohemians to the number of 120,000 are preparing to fight again and many already are fighting against Germany.

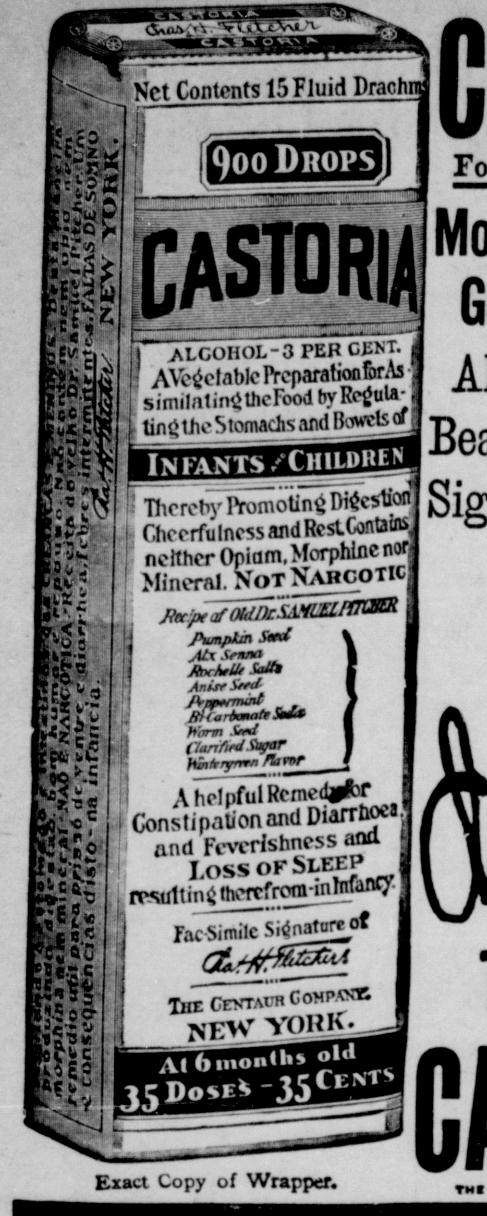
America welcomes this great leader of the staunch Bohemian people. Thomas Garigue Masaryk. We feel sure he will feel at home among Americans.—Chicago Tribune.

E. C. HARDER, OLD BRYAN CITIZEN, DIED HERE, BURIED SUNDAY

From Monday's Daily Eagle

Edward Christopher Harder, who was stricken last week with apoplexy, died Saturday afternoon, and the funeral was held Sunday afternoon from the residence on College street, Rev. Dr. E. W. Solomon conducting the services in the presence of a large number of friends who felt sincerely the loss of one of the oldest and most respected citizens of Bryan.

Mr. Harder was born in Lindale, Marion county, Ala., October 22, 1845, where he received a very good education but quit school to join the Confederate army. He went through the war under General J. B. Stewart in the Hempfield legion, but when he was first mustered in he was in the Canebreak legion, which was later attached to the Jeff Davis legion and then to the Hempfield. Mr.



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Announcements.

The Eagle is authorized to make the following announcements subject to the action of the Democratic Primary to be held July 27th, 1918.

For Congress, Sixth District
HON. RUFUS HARDY
of Corsicana, Texas.

HON. E. A. DECHERD,
Of Franklin, Texas.

For Senator Twelfth District,
R. L. WILLIFORD,
Fairfield, Texas.

Representative 22nd District,
DR. OSCAR DAVIS,
of Grimes County.

For Judge of the Court of Criminal Appeals.
O. S. LATTIMORE

For Judge 85th Judicial District,
H. S. MOREHEAD,
of Robertson County.
W. C. DAVIS,
Of Brazos County.

For Sheriff.
LEONARD E. MOREHEAD.
T. C. NUNN.
JOHN D. CONLEE.

For Tax Assessor.
JIM DARWIN.
JULIUS M. BARRON.

For Tax Collector.
ROY HUSPETH

County Clerk,
HORACE O. FERGUSON.

County Treasurer
W. W. GAINER
A. A. DEAN.
TOM E. TAYLOR.

County Attorney.
J. G. MINKERT.

For Commissioner,
Precinct No. 1.
J. M. ATKINS.
E. D. CARL.

For Commissioner.
JOHN SABO, Precinct No. 2.
GEORGE P. EDGE.

Commissioner Precinct 3,
CHARLES DISTEFANO.

For Justice of Peace,
Precinct No. 4.
C. L. MCCOY.

For Commissioner,
Precinct No. 4.
C. A. BUCHANAN.
W. G. REYNOLDS.

FIVE TO FORT SAM HOUSTON.
The five men who were selected by the local exemption board to report at Fort Sam Houston, left today. They are James H. Stephens, Joseph Hanus, Robert E. Bosque, Elmore Stephenson, Gus M. Bokowsky. The latter joins the party at Austin.

\$100 Reward, \$100

The readers of this paper will be pleased to learn that there is at least one dread disease that science has been able to cure in all its stages and that is catarrh. Catarrh being greatly influenced by constitutional conditions requires constitutional treatment. Hall's Catarrh Medicine is the only medicine that acts thus. The Blood on the Mucous Surfaces of the System thereby destroying the foundation of the disease, giving the patient strength by building up the constitution and curing nature in its work. The proprietors have so much faith in the curative powers of Hall's Catarrh Medicine that they offer One Hundred Dollars Reward to any individual to cure. Send for list of testimonials. Address F. J. CHENY & CO., Toledo, Ohio. Sold by all Druggists. 75c.

GRAND JURY SWORN IN.

The grand jury was impaneled Monday morning and given the regular statutory charge, but in addition he called their attention to the newly enacted ten-mile zone law and the disloyalty law. The jury is sworn in as follows:

Ray Richardson, Walter J. Coulter, Fletcher Pool, P. L. Barron, W. S. Higgs, John Korsarek, N. B. Closs, Henry Kurten, John D. Battle, John S. Smith, J. C. Griffith, R. M. Danby, B. L. Foster, E. J. Payne, J. E. Covey, Wilson Bradley. Mr. Covey is foreman.

JURY FOR NEXT WEEK.

The jury for the week to report next Monday at 9 o'clock, is as follows:

J. W. James, C. E. Locke, T. K. Lawrence, C. L. Eden, R. Q. Astin, Joe Gelber, J. R. Nunn, J. C. Claud, T. C. Elliott, J. M. Saladiner, H. L. Hensarling, G. W. Blanton, Joe Kaplan, J. M. Gordon, G. D. Osborn, W. H. Bullock, A. J. Langford, J. M. Manning, J. R. Ferguson, Arch Robinson, A. J. Tabor, C. Edgar Jones, C. W. Dixon, J. F. Martin, S. I. Dowling, W. F. Gibbs, R. B. Grant, R. R. Knowles, John A. Moore, W. H. Robertson, L. B. Black, W. M. Griffin, Chas. Godwin, W. E. Moore, I. M. Bond, J. M. Carroll.

THE STEADY SUBSCRIBER.

How dear to my heart is the steady subscriber,

Who pays in advance at the first of each year;

Who sends in his money, and does it quite gladly,

And casts round the office halo of cheer,

He never says "stop it, I can not afford it,"

Nor "I'm getting more paper now than I read,"

But always says "send it, the family likes it;

In fact we all find it the thing that we need."

How welcome his letter when'er it comes to us,

How it makes our heart throb, how it makes our eyes dance.

We warmly thank him, we inwardly bless him,

The steady subscriber who pays in advance.

WOMEN VOTERS IN BRAZOS.

County Tax Collector W. L. McCulloch has received a letter and an opinion from Attorney General Ben F. Looney relative to the registration of women in this county. The attorney general holds that women in counties of this size do not have to register under the terms of the law, because the caption omitted to mention it. Therefore, women who are 21 years of age, citizens of the United States and of Texas, who have resided in the county six months and in the precinct 30 days, are entitled to vote.

NATIONAL BANK CALL.

(By Associated Press)
Washington, May 14.—The comptroller of the currency has issued a national bank call for the condition at the close of business May 10.

For Indigestion, Constipation or Bilioousness

Just try one 50-cent bottle of LAX-FOS WITH PEPSIN. A Liquid Digestive Laxative pleasant to take. Made and recommended to the public by Paris Medicin Co., manufacturers of Laxative Broome Quinine and Grove's Tasteless chill Tonic.

Mrs. Magdaline Richéy et al., vs. Mrs. Mattie Olsen, to remove cloud from title and to void will, discontinued and dismissed before answer filed at plaintiff's cost.

Mrs. M. C. Berger vs. H. & T. C. R. R. Co., damages, set for Monday, May 27, plaintiff granted leave to file first amended original petition.

First National Bank vs. Bryan vs. Commonwealth Fire Insurance Co., also against Security Insurance Co. of New Haven, suits on policy, set for Wednesday, June 12.

Mrs. Hattie Burden vs. Neta Belle Burden, partition, J. G. Minkert, appointed guardian and attorney for minor defendant.

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EXTRA BILLIONS FOR WAR MUST BE EARLY ALLOWED BY CONGRESS

(By Associated Press)

Washington, May 10.—Secretary McAdoo's plans for immediate legislation to increase war revenues met with immediate and formidable opposition in Congress today. After a conference of various committees it is stated a revision of the revenues before next December is "very doubtful."

Both Democrats and Republicans, it was said, are prepared to insist upon the administration's original program of deferring tax revision until the December session.

Washington, May 10.—Congressional leaders have been advised by Secretary McAdoo that legislation at this session of Congress is imperative to provide revenue to meet the unexpected increases in expenses incident to the vast expansion of the nation's war program.

A statement of the country's financial situation, upon which the amount of additional taxes and bonds may be calculated, has been prepared at the treasury for submission within the next two or three days to the committees of the senate and house.

Whether Congress will undertake at the present session upward revision of the war revenue law of last fall, leaders at the capital said depends upon the impression made by this statement. If it demonstrates that it is essential to act now instead of waiting until December, as planned, hope of adjournment by July 1 will go glimmering and Congress probably will be here until fall.

Secretary McAdoo's belief that legislation must be enacted at once was expressed in a letter to Senator Simmons of North Carolina, chairman of the senate finance committee.

The unexpectedly heavy estimates of expenditures for the coming year include the \$15,000,000 army program, about \$1,500,000,000 for the navy, with further estimates expected, and \$2,250,000,000 for the shipping board.

Senator Simmons said the tacit agreement to defer further revenue legislation until next December was made before these new estimates were submitted. The situation now, he said, is materially changed and will have to be considered in the new light when Secretary McAdoo's formal statement is presented.

DISTRICT COURT.

H. S. Morehead, Judge.

Rosa Graham, et al., vs. Allen Smith, injunction to restrain plaintiff from selling land, dismissed on motion of plaintiff.

Perry J. Lewis vs. P. H. and Geo. B. Hensarling, set for June 3.

Jim Carter vs. Bryan and Central Texas Interurban Railway Company, suit for foreclosure of lien, dismissed on motion of plaintiff.

Annie Easley, et al., vs. Lucinda Dixon, et al., partition, dismissed on motion of plaintiff.

T. S. Hill vs. H. & T. C. Ry Co., set for Tuesday, May 21.

E. Parks & Co. vs. S. S. Clay Beck Grain Co. and First National Bank of Navasota, suit on check, set for May 20 and plaintiff granted leave to amend.

Allen Smith vs. Jones Gamble and R. L. Sanders, suit on note, set for Monday, June 10.

W. J. Coulter & Co., vs. H. W. South and P. E. Swanson, suit on account, set for Monday, June 3.

Allen Smith vs. Lum Stewart, suit on note and for foreclosure, set for Monday, June 10.

Hill Stubbs vs. Will Groda, appeal from justice court, set for Monday, May 21.

T. S. Hill vs. Kansas City, Mexico and Orient Railway Co., et al., damages, set for hearing on special pleas Tuesday, May 21.

Albert Elbrich, et al., vs. Frank Wiensell, et al., to try title and damages, set for Monday, May 20.

H. C. Holmes vs. H. & T. C. R. Co., damages, set for Thursday, May 30.

Max Tapper vs. James A. Baker, receiver I. & G. N. R. R. Co., damages, set for Monday, May 27.

Isaiah Watson and wife vs. Bryan and College Interurban Railway Co., damages, set for Monday, June 3.

Jewell McVeigh, minor, et al., vs. H. & T. C. R. Co., damages, reset for Monday, June 5.

Palermo Bros. vs. Calogero Dipula, suit on note, dismissed on motion of plaintiff.

J. G. Minkert vs. P. E. Swanson, trespass to try title, set for Monday, June 17.

Joe Groginski and B. B. Knox vs. Lamar Bethea, county attorney, contest of prohibition election, dismissed on motion of plaintiffs.

Mrs. Francis E. James et al., vs. Mrs. Lillie L. Chance, et al., partition, set for Monday, May 20, as to special pleas only.

R. L. Buchanan vs. H. & T. C. R. Co., and G. C. Q. S. F. R. R. Co., damages, set for Friday, June 7.

Joe Machos vs. James A. Baker, receiver I. & G. N. R. R. Co., damages, set for Monday, June 3.

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\$250,000 AND YEAR WILL GIVE BRYAN 5000 SPINDLE MILL

(By Associated Press)

Texas cotton mills are enjoying a wonderful prosperity now, owing to the war and the prospects that after the war there will be a continuation for some time, owing to the export demand. Texas mills are enlarging in the field just now, the attendance was not large. However, the meeting was a very enthusiastic one and it is certain the nucleus of a thoroughly business like club has been formed. It was the idea of all present to make a clean-cut, straight-from-the-shoulder "drive" for Hobby votes from today until July 27, the day of the primary; that the election of W. P. Hobby as governor of Texas is second in importance only to the winning of the war.

Judge W. G. Taliaferro was elected permanent chairman; A. B. O'Flaherty, permanent secretary.

The chairman was instructed to appoint an executive committee of ten, with one representative from each of the county precincts. This committee will name finance and publicity committees.

It was ordered that the executive committee get in touch with the women of the city and county and determine their desires as to affiliation with the men's Hobby club, or whether it would best serve the purpose for a separate Hobby club to be formed by the women.

Motion was made and carried that the club hold weekly meetings and Friday nights, 8:30 o'clock, was decided upon as the most suitable time. The executive committee will arrange for speakers for next Friday night.

Last week Ed Hall suggested that

FORM HOBBY CLUB WITH TALIAFERRO AS COUNTY CHAIRMAN

(By Associated Press)

From Saturday's Daily Eagle. Organization of the Brazos County Hobby club was perfected at the court house this afternoon. Owing to the fact that Saturday is always a busy day in Bryan, and that farmers are busy in the field just now, the attendance was not large. However, the meeting was a very enthusiastic one and it is certain the nucleus of a thoroughly business like club has been formed. It was the idea of all present to make a clean-cut, straight-from-the-shoulder "drive" for Hobby votes from today until July 27, the day of the primary; that the election of W. P. Hobby as governor of Texas is second in importance only to the winning of the war.

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On motion of Commissioner Burger

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Resolved, That while the city commission of the city of Bryan regrets to lose the valuable services of Commissioner Sims, yet we know that our beloved country in gaining the aid of Captain Sims for its medical and surgical corps, has been fortunate indeed in not only acquiring the highest professional skill but the services of an officer and gentleman of unimpeachable integrity, strict probity and under any and all circumstances is every inch a man."

1,300,000 Men in France or on the Way and More Are Being Called Constantly

(By Associated Press)

Washington, May 11.—More than 1,300,000 men have been called in draft so far and are either in France, in camps, or under call for service before June first. It is indicated that more men will be called in June than summoned in May and progressive monthly mobilization will continue as the cantonments are expanded.

It is expected that at such a rate the army will reach a full strength of well over three million with the next twelve or thirteen months. It is possible, some officers say, that the number will be closer five million three million.

SAMMIES ABROAD FULLY EQUIPPED.

(By the Associated Press)

Washington, May 11.—Although Americans are going overseas in large numbers the ordnance department has been able to keep up with the new program and all going abroad are fully equipped with arms, the ordnance bureau announces. The artillery and machine guns already are in France in sufficient quantities, it is said, to meet immediate demands.

AIRPLANE MAIL SERVICE FROM WASHINGTON TO NEW YORK

(By Associated Press)

Washington, May 14.—With the establishment of a regular airplane mail service between Washington and New York, the postoffice considers that the project is experimental only in the sense that a now familiar means of locomotion is to be put practically to a new use. The war has demonstrated effectively that the airplane as a conveyance is almost as dependable and safe as an automobile, so the only real obstacle in the way of successfully operating the new air line lies in maintaining service under all kinds of weather conditions.

The war department has furnished 12 large training planes for use in the new service. Aviators have been detailed from the ranks of fighting airmen, as war department officials feel that the newly-commissioned fliers will acquire valuable training in piloting the big mail carriers over long cross-country flights.

The planes, each capable of a minimum speed of 90 miles an hour, are built along the lines of the regulation bombing machines. They are one-seaters as a maximum of space is desired in the fuselage for the storing of mail bags.

The schedule provides for the departure of one plane each day from both Washington and New York. The machines leave promptly at 11:30 in the morning, and it is hoped to have the mail deposited at the terminals not more than three hours later. Starting from the Mall in Washington, near the Washington monument, the trip to Philadelphia, about 135 miles, is expected to be made in about an hour and 20 minutes. At the hangars in North Philadelphia another machine will be waiting, ready to start the flight to New York as soon as the incoming plane lands and the transfer of mail bags is made. The second leg of the journey, from Philadelphia to Belmont field, in the Long Island suburbs of New York, should be made in about an hour. The large planes carry about 600 pounds of mail, or approximately 24,000 letters. The smaller machines will carry about half that amount.

Emergency landing fields will be established at Baltimore and Havre de Grace, Md.; Wilmington, Del., and at either Princeton or New Brunswick, New Jersey. In the case of a machine breaking down at some intermediate point in its journey, the mail sacks will be rushed by motor truck to the nearest railroad station where they will be sent forward in care of a courier.

The rate of postage has been established by law at 2 cents an ounce or fraction thereof. However this entitles the sender to have the letter forwarded to the addresses by special delivery service, in case the airplane arrives too late for the regular city deliveries.

Letters mailed at Washington, Philadelphia or New York for delivery in any part of the country may have their delivery facilitated by sending them on the first part of the journey by airplane. In each city postmasters have designated the stations and the hours at which letters for airplane dispatch may be mailed.

A special stamp has been designed for the new service. It has a red border, and shows an airplane in flight on a blue field.

The first stamp was sold to Postmaster General Burleson who addressed a letter to Postmaster Patten, of New York. After cancellation of the stamp, the letter was autographed by President Wilson and placed in the first consignment of mail directed to New York. The letter will be sold at auction, the proceeds to be devoted to war relief.

During the first months of the service no flights will be made when

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Nearly 50,000 Tons of Steel Shipping Completed During the Week Ending Saturday

(By Associated Press)

Washington, May 14.—Eight steel ships, totalling 48,150 tons were completed during the seven days ending May 11. Fourteen vessels were launched with a total tonnage of 57,100, of which seven were steel with a total capacity of 32,100 tons.

This brings the tonnage deliveries to the government under the direction of the shipping board to more than a million tons. One hundred and fifty nine ships have been completed.

DEATHS NOW ELEVEN IN MORTAR EXPLOSION AT FT. WORTH CAMP

(By Associated Press)

Fort Worth, May 9.—The tenth and eleventh victims of the explosion of a trench mortar yesterday at Camp Bowie died this morning. They were private H. L. Davidson of Fort Worth and Private Alfred Woodle of Abilene. Five others were wounded. An investigation to definitely determine the cause of the explosion was begun this morning.

Others dead are:

First Lieutenant Allen J. McDavid, Overton, Texas.

Sergeant Louis A. Halphen, Austin, Texas.

Corporal Wharton Jones, San Marcos, Texas.

Corporal William P. Applegren, El Paso, Texas.

Private Morgan C. Sanders, Abilene, Texas.

Private Euclid Simmons, Henrietta, Texas.

Private John Webber, Memphis, Tenn.

Private Lacy R. Langley, Waco, Texas.

General E. St. John Creel, commanding officer at Camp Bowie, was less than 10 yards from the scene of the explosion. He and his two aides, Captain Houghton and Lieutenant Russell, who were with him, escaped unharmed. Lieutenant Colonel McAlfe, division surgeon, stood nearby. An enlisted man standing at his side was instantly killed, but Metcalf escaped unscathed.

An attempt on the part of a gunner to force a shell down the mortar which apparently did not fit is believed to have been responsible for the accident. Officers who were eyewitnesses said afterward they had witnessed the gunner's efforts to do this. Sergeant Norman Bow, a Canadian who is an assistant instructor for the Stokes trench mortar saw the attempt and ran toward the gunner to warn him. Bow was struck by a fragment of shell and slightly wounded.

Some of the victims were literally torn to pieces and the ground in the vicinity was covered with blood.

The investigation will be to develop whether the gun was jammed with another shell or if the fault was in construction.

About 100 shells had been fired from the gun when the explosion occurred. Men as far as 50 yards away were struck by flying fragments.

LET US USE CORNBREAD.

For some reason that is hard to understand cornbread, which was used in practically every family in the south a few years ago, has rarely been found on the tables of southern people during the recent years, especially in the towns and cities.

Perhaps the modern tendency to let the other fellow do the work, which has resulted in the average family's relying on the baker to a far greater extent, has contributed more largely than anything else to the abdication of cornbread in favor of bread made of wheat flour.

There are now living in the south thousands of men and women who grew up to believe that cornbread was the real staff of life, and that wheat bread was a luxury.

Now that the war has made it necessary that we ship every ounce of flour that we can spare to our soldiers and our allies in Europe, let us get back to first principles again and eat cornbread.

By the way, the eating of cornbread is by no means a hardship, if it is made by one who knows how.—Beaumont Enterprise.

Douglas Robertson departed last night for the training camp at Washington. He was accompanied by Drummond Martin as far as San Antonio where he has enlisted in the army.

W. D. MITCHELL ONE OF PROUDEST MEN IN TEXAS HE SAYS

I'm Certainly Grateful for the Happiness Tanlac Has Brought to My Home.

I'm one of the proudest men in Texas today and I just want to tell the people it's all because of what this Tanlac has done for my wife," said W. D. Mitchell of 1808 Warren street, Dallas, Texas, a few days ago.

"She had suffered so much during the past year," he continued, "with stomach trouble that she had almost given up hope. Her appetite left her entirely and what she did eat would just stay in her stomach and make gas and misery for her. Her nerves went all to pieces and she got so weak and run-down she would have to lie down and rest during the day while trying to do her work. She was so nervous and restless she could hardly sleep, lost weight and felt despondent and downhearted all the time.

"She was under treatment several times and tried any number of different medicines but everything failed to help her until she began on Tanlac.

She began picking up right off when she began taking Tanlac and her despondent feelings soon disappeared.

She has such a big appetite now that she can hardly get enough to eat and her digestion is fine. She has already gained eight and a half pounds and says she never felt better.

She sleeps good every night and does all her work with ease and is bright and cheerful all the time. I'm certainly grateful for the happiness Tanlac has brought to my home by restoring my wife's health. I honestly believe it will help anybody."

Tanlac is sold in Bryan by N. A. Stewart, in Wellborn by J. P. Royer, in Edge by Moore & Payne, in Allenfarm by Terrell Brothers and in Tabor by J. K. Presnal.

BRAZOS COUNTY'S QUOTA.

Brazos county is called upon to furnish 84 white men for the draft call, these to be educated during the five-day period beginning May 25. This is this county's pro rata of the 233,000 men who are to be assembled in the cantonments on that date.

TABOR GRADUATING EXERCISES DREW BIG CROWD MONDAY

Commencement exercises of the Tabor high school were held Monday at 8:30 p. m. before an audience which overtaxed the capacity of the building.

The stage was handsomely and tastefully decorated with pot plants and cut-flowers. Overhead was a large U. S. flag, hanging directly beneath was a large portrait of President Wilson, and to the right of this was a service flag with 16 stars. To the stirring notes of the patriotic march played by Miss Gladys Broach the graduating class entered and took seats on the stage. The class consists of Miss Ella Francis, Miss Ruby Walker, Clarence Walker, Cliff Sedge and Douglas Broach.

The program was as follows: Star Spangled Banner. Essay—Dolores Broach. Class prophecy—Miss Ruby Walker. Valedictory—Miss Ella Francis. Address—Supt. W. L. Powers. Address to the graduating class—Hon. W. S. Barron. Presentation of diplomas—W. L. Powers.

Piano solo—Miss Gladys Broach. Address by Prof. Bobo, who formerly taught Tabor high school and returned to be present at these exercises.

A class pin for the best scholar, given by Mrs. Walter Armstrong, was awarded to Miss Lois Wilcox.

This closed the graduated exercises after which Prof. Vance called on the Red Cross campaign committee from Bryan to take charge of the meeting. C. L. Beason delivered a rousing war talk, as only "Hoover" Beason can do, telling the audience that if necessary they ought to be willing to eat pepper grass and sheep sorrel in order to donate money for war purposes. J. S. Doane, chairman of the second Red Cross war fund, delivered an address explaining the Red Cross drive for next week, after which Secretary Eberstadt called for subscriptions and in a short while raised half of Tabor's quota, which was turned over to Mrs. Walter Armstrong, chairman for that community.

RIGHT OF WAY FOR MILLICAN ROAD IS TO BE SECURED NOW

Road matters occupied the attention of the county commissioners at the first day of the May term of the court. The roads in the southern end of the county came up for discussion, preparatory to improvements to be made. A conference was held with the advisory committee of district No. 2, Milligan. This committee is composed of A. J. Edwards, Fletcher Pool, R. L. Dunlap and John Battle. While there was talk relative to the sale of sufficient of the bonds to complete the main highway, with the aid of the state and the United States governments, the chief topic was the rural route out of Milligan. An application is before the postoffice department for this route, but it was not exactly in accordance with the requirements, so it was returned for correction.

The court called upon the committee to make final selection of the right of way from the terminus of the road in district No. 1, near Wellborn, to the Grimes county line on the Navasota river, the right of way to be not less than 50 feet.

The court voted to pay the Houston and Texas Central \$15 an acre for land taken from its right of way in the southern end of road district No. 1. The total is about five acres.

The commissioners were sworn in as a board of equalization and will be sitting for a couple of weeks as such.

DID WHAT THEY COULD.

At the Greer and Antioch school closings May 10 and 11 we called on our patrons to show their loyalty.

The result was \$5 from each school, with which to buy war savings stamps. "We have done what we could." Our slogan: "We can't buy with \$5 and \$50s,

But we'll do our little mite.

The least we do for Uncle Sam "Twill help to win the fight."

Mrs. Daisy L. Meador, teacher Greer school.

O. E. Meador, Antioch school.

COLLEGE R. C. DRIVE.

The Red Cross drive is already on at College and Dr. C. P. Fountain, chairman, expects to have at least \$2000 in hand before the campaign proper begins May 20. The experiment station and some of the other departments of the college have already ready turned in their quota and it is possible that the college as a whole will have turned in its whole assessment in cash before the date set for the launching of the country-wide drive.

B. B. A. TO BE CLOSED.

At a meeting of the board of trustees of the Bryan Baptist academy held one day last week it was decided that the school shall be closed at the end of the session this week.

A price was put on the property and it is to be sold, the proceeds of which will go to paying the bonded and floating debts of the institution.

Adv.

LANDING OF SAMMIES IN HUGE NUMBERS SHOWS SUB FAILURE

(By Associated Press)

London, May 13.—The most conclusive evidence of the failure of the enemy submarine campaign is the presence of the huge American army and tons of stores in France, said James Wilson, chairman of the American labor delegation on his return from a visit to the American army in France.

CLOSING EXERCISES OF ALLEN ACADEMY BEGIN NEXT SUNDAY

The 19th closing exercises of Allen academy will be held May 19 to 22.

The commencement sermon will be preached in the Methodist church at 11 o'clock Sunday morning, May 19, by Rev. Thurston B. Price.

The exercises of the graduating class will take place on the evening of May 21, at the Colonial theater. F. Marion Law will make the address of the occasion.

A feature of special interest will be the presentation to the school by the present senior class of a splendid service flag with a star for each of the scores of Allen academy boys who are now in the service of their country.

The present senior class is by far the largest in the history of the school.

The program of the final exercises Tuesday evening, May 21, is as follows:

Invocation—Rev. H. B. Jamison.

Class exercises.

Presentation of the service flag.

Address—F. M. Law.

Awarding of diplomas.

Presentation of medals and announcing of honors.

Music by the A. and M. college orchestra.

SERVICE FLAG WITH 1,800 STARS READY

With 1800 stars, representing as many men in the military and naval service of the country in the present war, the large service flag of the A. and M. college has now been completed and is ready for its formal raising, which will be held on alumni day at the 43rd annual commencement.

R. J. Potts, 1906, of Waco, president of the Alumni association and former professor of highway engineering in the college, will deliver the principal address at the flag raising, and there will be patriotic music by the college band.

A number of alumni and former students are expected to be present for the occasion, many of those now in Texas camps intending to get furloughs that will permit of their attendance if it is possible for them to do so.

The flag is 15 by 26 feet, made of the best quality of wool bunting and has space for 2110 stars. The stars are made of wool felt and are sewed double, thus showing from both sides. It is probable that 2000 men are in the service by this time, and the vacant space in the center of the flag will soon be taken up with additional stars, as the names of the newly enlisted men are compiled.

Mrs. W. S. Howell, chairman of the women's committee of the second Red Cross war fund drive, states that she has her committees, both for Bryan and all parts of Brazos county, thoroughly organized. Mrs. Howell has visited in person the different committees and explained the work for the campaign. She states that she is confident that Brazos county will "go over the top," as she has a live, loyal and patriotic committee of women who will devote their entire time from now until the close of the campaign to the work.

Throughout the country precincts the campaign will be managed entirely by the woman's committee. These good women have already gone to work, and in some communities have raised almost their quota.

Mrs. Howell requests that the Bryan committee will meet with her Saturday morning at 10 o'clock in the Elks hall, when she will give them full instructions as to the work, so that all can start out promptly to canvas Monday morning. This is a very important matter and every member of the committee is urgently requested to be present at this meeting.

Misdemeanor Cases in District Court

The following orders in misdemeanor cases have been entered by Judge H. S. Morehead in the district court:

State vs. Junius Caldwell, aggravated assault, plea of guilty to simple assault and fined \$5.

DELINQUENT TAX LIST

List of Lands and Lots Delinquent on March 31st, 1918, for the State of Texas of 1917, in Brazos County. Reported Under Section 7692, Revised Civil Statutes of 1911.

B Roll.

Alexander, Celina Bryan, 45-100 acres

bik. 4, Bst. 1st. Total \$3.58.

Anderson, Z., Bryan, lot 6, blk. 68,

Total \$4.48.

Anderson, Mattie, Bryan, lot 8, blk. 45,

Total \$4.48.

Arrington, P. H., Millican, A lot to H,

bik. 11; lot A to G, blk. 111; lots 1 and 2,

bik. 34; blk. 123, blk. 124; blk. 125, lot 2A,

bik. 126. Total \$1.00.

Bailey, Ediza, abst. No. 62, orig. grantee

S. F. A. Millican, 5 acres, Total \$3.11.

Banks, Mittie, abst. No. 63, orig. grantee

S. F. A. Millican, 7 acres, Total \$3.11.

Banks, Walter, abst. No. 62, orig.

grantee S. F. A. Millican, 2 acres, Blk. 3,

lot 10. Total \$0.63.

Bass, W. H., E., abst. No. 27, orig.

grantee S. F. A. Millican, 1 acre, Total

\$0.44.

Battie, Mrs. Lou, Bryan, lots 1, 2, 6,

7, lot 3 and 8, blk. 2. Total \$22.51.

Barker, Granville, Bryan, lot 10, blk. 77,

Total \$6.41.

Baker, Willie, Bryan, lot 5, blk. 151,

Total \$7.41.

Barnes, Clarence, Bryan, lots 11 and 12,

blk. 6, Aest. \$7.39.

Benson, O. B., Bryan, lots 24 and 25,

S. F. A. 10, Total \$9.69.

Bennett, Bryan, lot 8, blk. 246, Total

\$4.48.

Bergert, Hy, Bryan, lots 4, 5, half blk. 32,

Total \$15.26.

Brown, Brown, Bryan, lot 8, blk. 222,

Total \$7.17.

Brown, Rose, Bryan, lot 2, blk. 180,

Total \$3.58.

Brown, Walter, Bryan, lot 50x150, blk.

4, Bst. 1st. Total \$8.41.

Brock, T. A., Bryan, part lot 8, 9, 10,

blk. 31. Total \$7.17.

Burrell, Jas, Bryan, lots 27 and 28, blk. 8,

Total \$5.37.

Cahoon, Rose, abst. No. 33, orig.

grantee T. F. McKinney, 29 acres, Total

\$13.61.

Cox, J. M., abst. No. 25, orig. grantee

Thomas James, 3 acres, Total \$9.13.

Craig, Mrs. O. P., abst. No. 45, orig.

grantee Zero Phillips, 10 acres, Total

\$1.75.

Carr, Mrs. E. A., abst. No. 62, orig.

grantee T. F. Scott, 3-1/2 acres, Total

\$22.27.

Cobb, Mrs. G. A., abst. No. 72, orig.

grantee S. Thomas Bauman, 216 acres, Total

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Childress, Delta, Bryan, lot 10, blk. 34,

Total \$3.57.

Cobb, Mandy, Bryan, 50x15, blk. 4,

Bs 1st. Total \$3.58.

Cook, Dennis, et al., Bryan, half int.

1-3/5 acres, Blk. B, Bs 24, Total \$1.10.

Cook, Dennis, Bryan, lots 4 to 8, blk. 7,

lots 15, blk. 34, abst. No. 62, orig.

grantee S. Davidson, 60 acres, Total

\$22.27.

Craig, Mrs. G. A., abst. No. 72, orig.

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